

County Court Proceedings.

Satisfactory evidence having been introduced that Lucy Kate McCormack is insane, court orders her sent to asylum at Nevada as a county patient.

John and D. N. Burress granted ferry license and fixing ferriage rates is approved. Bond approved.

Action of the clerk in appointing road commissioners during vacation approved by court.

Bond of G. T. Brown and J. E. Walden for ferry license from Miami to Carroll county shore not approved. License not granted.

S. E. Brady, J. P., Liberty township, offers his resignation, which is accepted.

Wesley Urton et al. files petition asking court to appoint Samuel Rothrock J. P., Liberty township, in vacancy of Brady. Same appointed J. P. for said township till next election.

S. R. Hill et al. file petition asking court to appoint G. D. Swinney J. P. for Cambridge township to fill vacancy of Frank W. Norvell (deceased). Court makes the appointment till the next general election.

Clerk ordered by court to certify to the secretary of state that the S. W. 1/4 of the N. E. 1/4 of sec. 16, T. 49, R. 21, Saline county has been paid for, though patent had not been issued, and that John Colson, as the assignee by mesne conveyances of James M. Vantis, the original purchaser, is entitled to patent therefor.

In the places of road commissioners of certain districts, who had refused to serve, the following are appointed: Dist. 1, James Lynch, 3 years; Peter Durnil, 2 years; Henry Hornbell, 1 year.

Loan of \$1,700 granted D. W. Crank from county school fund principal.

In matter of petition of J. A. Piper et al. for public road, road commissioner ordered to mark out, survey and report at next regular term in May.

In matter of petition of J. M. Baker for public road, Jas. Marr reports the opening of said road, which the court declares to be a public highway. Warrant ordered drawn in favor of said Marr for full amount of damages.

Jas. Haynie appointed commissioner for North Miami district; J. L. Meer and H. H. Briggs for Grand Pass district.

Mortgage to Saline county by F. M. Sander ordered foreclosed by sheriff of Saline county.

Report of fees for quarter ending March 31st filed by Sheriff Wilson

and approved by court

A. B. Hoy files abstract of fees for quarter ending March 31st and same is approved by court.

Dr. J. E. Ragsdale files bill of costs in case of inquest of Newton Alsbaugh in amount of \$62. Approved and warrants ordered drawn for same.

Dr. Ragsdale presents bill of costs in inquest case upon body of C. C. Bailey in amount of \$78 15. Approved and warrants ordered drawn for same.

Criminal costs bills presented, examined and approved and clerk directed to deliver to treasurer certified names to whom due and amounts of same. Warrants drawn on causes below:

Al. Crutchfield et al	\$ 6.70
Charles Miller	21.80
W. C. Hagan	4.10
Dolly Johnston et al	14.70
Will Bynum	13.60
Will Marshall et al	19.15
Wm. R. Freed	15.85
John Rucker	5.39
Dean Crews	15.30
J. F. C. Renison	8.35
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Emma Covert	9.20
Wm. Johnson	7.70
Grand Jury witnesses	138.00

Ordered that treasurer transfer the funds in his hands belonging to the old road districts to the county revenue fund.

Warrant in amount of \$4,600 ordered drawn in favor of Central Bridge Co. on bridge account.

Bond of D. W. Crank in amount of \$1,700 for loan approved.

Warrants ordered drawn in favor of each road district of Saline county for \$240, to be placed to their credit.

Report of J. E. McAmis of March collections approved.

Abstract of fees for quarter ending March 31st presented by R. E. L. Smith and J. E. Pickett. Same approved by court.

Mrs. Harmon placed on pauper list with a quarterly allowance of \$5.00.

Ordered that deed record be copied, for which the court agrees to pay the sum of \$240.

Clerk directed to renew the insurance on court house, jail and barn, expiring in May, and that Van Dyke & Rainey be reduced from \$10,000 to \$5,000, and that \$5,000 be given Mrs. Robt. Campbell.

Board of prisoners' bills presented, approved and warrants ordered drawn for same. They were as follows:

H. T. Bledsoe	\$ 38.50
Ben Rucker	48.50
Wm. Freed	66.00

Will Emery	9.00
Frank Brown	42.00
Steve Hamilton	20.50
Grover Bartley	2.00
George Scott	20.50
Henry Emery	49.50
Orcha Turk	22.50
Wm. Marshall	25.00
Henry Harris	8.50
John Smith	43.00
James Kirby	60.50
Robt. Williams	9.50
John Sane	2.50

Total \$467.50

Court adjourned to meet Monday, May 7, 1900.

Will Travel for Kirschbaum.

Mr. C. M. Buckner of the firm of Rose & Buckner of this city, has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the firm of Ab Kirschbaum and Company of Philadelphia and will in the future have the honor of representing throughout the west the largest manufacturing establishment for gents' clothing in the world.

The firm of Kirschbaum & Co., are to be congratulated upon securing the services of Mr. Buckner, who is a man of fine judgment and whose training in the Business College at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., together with his natural qualifications has fitted him for the success upon the road that has followed him in all his business transactions.

Mrs. Elizabeth Colvert.

Mrs. Elizabeth Colvert, wife of J. R. Colvert, an old and highly respected citizen of Mayview, died at her home on Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, after an illness of only a few days with pneumonia. She was one of our pioneer Methodists, having joined the church with her husband in the year 52 and her life has been spent in the service of the Master. She was born in Bourbon county, Kentucky, May 18th, 1823 was married to James Colvert in 1841 in Marion county, Mo. Ten children were born to them, nine of whom are living, namely Mrs. Sarah J. Blackburn, J. A., Hayden and Henry Colvert of Marshall, E. F. Colvert, Salt Springs, Mrs. Kate Deal, Fairville, Mrs. Annie Cunningham, Miss Jennie Colvert of Mayview and Mrs. Amanda Blackburn of Miami.

The body arrived on the 10:40 train Wednesday. The funeral services were held at eleven o'clock at the M. E. church, South, conducted by J. W. Howell, the pastor of the church.

John Peterson Dead.

John Peterson, Jr., son of the late John Bell Peterson, died on Thursday night at the age of 18 years, after an illness of some weeks with pneumonia.

Only a few days ago the husband and father was taken from this home and now a son who was universally loved and respected, and who would, could he have lived, been such a support and comfort to his widowed mother.

The family have the universal sympathy of the entire community in this their double bereavement.

The funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon at the M. E. Church, South, in this city, Rev. J. W. Howell conducting them. Burial at Ridge Park Cemetery.

Easter Services.

The Easter program to be rendered by the Sunday school of the First M. E. Church next Sunday evening promises to be of unusual interest.

The little folks are being diligently trained and their songs and recitations will doubtless be very entertaining.

A male quartette will sing several songs appropriate to the occasion.

The sextette from the "Marshall Concert Band" will be present and favor the audience with a number of selections. Mr. G. N. Hanson is preparing some unique decorations. All are cordially invited to be present.

A Broken Leg.

Warren Colvert, of Mayview, broke his left leg, just below the knee, on Monday. He was thrown from his horse while on the way to the home of his aunt, Mrs. Jas. Cunningham, who had been sent for, as her mother, Mrs. Colvert, was worse, and the unfortunate young man was brought home suffering most acutely just about the time of his grandmother's death, but fortunately the physicians were at the house and the young man was soon made as comfortable as he could be under the circumstances.

Oyster Supper at Shackelford.

There will be an oyster supper at Shackelford Catholic Church (pastor's residence) on Easter Monday night next. Music will be furnished by the Shackelford Orchestra. Everybody invited.

COMMITTEE.